PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, it is necessary for Americans to appreciate fully their heritage of freedom and to rededicate themselves to the preservation of basic American principles, and

WHEREAS, the All-American Conference to Combat Communism, made up of fifty national organizations representing a total membership of some fifty million individuals is, for the 12th successive year, sponsoring the nationally observed Know Your America Week observance, designed to bring the full force of an informed citizenry to bear on democracy's present-day problems, and

WHEREAS, it is essential that the State of South Dakota make this occasion a notable expression of community interest, as is being done in many other states throughout the nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, Governor of the State of South Dakota do hereby proclaim the period from November 18 to November 24, 1962, as

KNOW YOUR AMERICA WEEK

and call on all the citizens of South Dakota to contribute freely of their time and resources to participate in the commemoration of Know Your America Week in order to preserve our human freedom and defeat communism.

> IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of South Dakota to be affixed this ____ day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

ARCHIE GUBBRUD, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

THE OF AUTHORITORY